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# The BCG News

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## U. prepared for Bush, Moby

NICOLE VALEK  
STAFF WRITER

The sold-out Bush and Moby concert should be a success and everything is under control, according to UAO concert committee members.

Bush is coming to the University at Anderson Arena today. Doors open at 7 p.m. and Moby will perform at 8.

Around 4,800 tickets were sold. However, according to Jen Joyce, president of UAO, "A limited number of tickets may become available the day of the show."

These tickets can be purchased at the "Will Call Booth."

UAO said they are excited and ready for the crowd.

"I think we have done everything we can to prepare for the concert," Joyce said. "We are prepared for a huge success."

"The concert committee involved is going to be busy with a lot of work, but the 4,800 fans should be looking forward to a fun party to go to," said Brian Engelman, UAO concert director.

UAO has hired professional security guards who have experience with concerts.

The committee has also posted fliers around campus describing what is prohibited from entering the arena. A list of things not permitted in the venue include tobacco products, glass, bottles, food, waterguns, cameras, recording devices, alcohol, large chains, weapons, backpacks, drugs and spiked jewelry. Moshing will be prohibited.

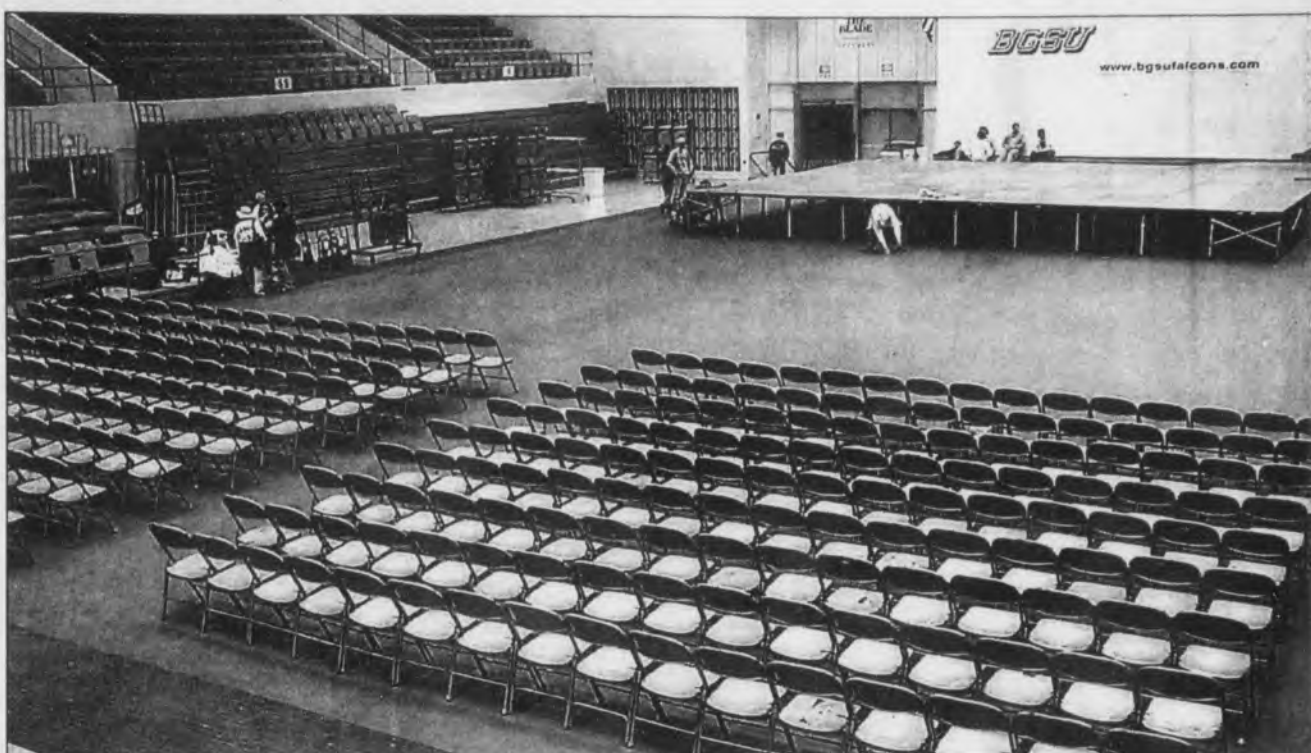
Security has the right to search and the discretion to remove objects and individuals from the venue.

The parking situation is also under control.

"I don't think parking should be a problem because most of the tickets were sold to on-campus students, so there is really no need for them to drive," Engelman said.

Another aspect of excitement for the concert is the MTV Interactive Village.

The village is free and a ticket to the concert is not required to go to the village.



IT'S FINALLY HERE — The Concert Committee along with over 100 volunteers began setting up for the Bush/Moby concert yesterday afternoon at around 1:30 p.m. in Anderson Arena. The crew set up chairs, all numbered and tied together, a stage and made plans for ushering, security and more.

This event will be held on the lawn behind Anderson Arena noon to 5 p.m. In the event of rain, it will be held in the Student Recreation Center.

Some events occurring at the village will be the MTV Career Counseling sponsored by Monster.com

and an audition with the director to be an MTV VJ.

Also, MTV's Choose or Lose will be here. This is a tent dedicated to MTV's campaign to spread awareness among college-age students of the issues in the upcoming presidential campaign. Students

will be able to register to vote.

"I think this concert is fantastic. It goes to show this campus needs more large-scale events," said Engelman. "You know it is going to be exciting when one of the biggest events all year was camping out in tents for tickets."

## Latino programs plan to broaden awareness

IRENE SHARON SCOTT  
CHIEF REPORTER

In honor of Latino Awareness Week, the Latino Student Union has planned interactive programs such as a panel discussion, a fashion show and a game show.

"This is the week that recognizes Latino awareness and creates cultural understanding of the Latino culture. Activities will be interactive and fun to attend," said Christine Celestino-Boes, LSU co-adviser.

LSU kicked off the week yesterday with a panel discussion entitled "Growing Up Latino." The panelists discussed growing up with Latino stereotypes.

"In my culture—the Mexican culture—the women are the core of the family," she said. "They hold the family together. The males are perceived as the worker and provider. And the women keep the family strong."

Today there will be a Latino Jeopardy game in 112 Life Science, 6 to 7 p.m., which is a Latin version of the popular game show. Possible

questions include questions about the culture, issues and individuals with a Hispanic heritage.

"For example, how many people know whether Vanna White has a Latino heritage," Celestino-Boes asked. "There are people who aren't aware of these people of Latino heritage."

Wednesday there will be a three-day art exhibit at noon held on the second floor of the McFall Center. This program is sponsored by the Center for Multicultural and Academic Initiatives.

"This is an opportunity to view artwork by the students and faculty," she said. "During the program, students will read poetry."

Thursday is the sixth annual Latino Issues Conference. It will be held from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the first floor of Offenhauer East.

"During the conference proceedings there will be different voices from different ethnic backgrounds and different cultures talking about specific issues," said Manny Vadillo, co-director of the conference planning committee.

Issues discussed include politics, education and poetry. Both experts and student perspectives on the topics will be given. The keynote speaker is Augusto Boal, a Brazilian theater director, dramatist, theorist and founder of "Theatre of the Oppressed."

According to Vadillo, Boal will talk about legislative theater which is based on his experience as a member of the Parliament for the Rio de Janeiro where he used performance techniques to influence governmental policies.

"This is an opportunity for people to get more educated about issues affecting Latinos and contributions by Latinos," said Iris Resendez, conference committee member.

The conference will also feature Tato Laviera, a poet, performer, director and writer.

Interested students can RSVP by calling 372-2642. Admission is free, but lunch is \$5 and bursarable. The art display will be moved to the conference location, so those who

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## Today

— Latino Jeopardy Game

Rm 112 Life Science 6-7 p.m.

## Wednesday

— Art Exhibit

2nd floor of McFall Center

opens at noon

## Thursday

— Latino Issues Conference

1st floor of Offenhauer East

8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

## Friday

— Fashion Show

Harshman Community Center

7 p.m. - 12 a.m.

## Bill passed to mark Lot 6

SARA GRAZIANO  
STAFF WRITER

The Undergraduate Student Government passed a bill last night to place row markers in Lot 6.

The bill caused controversy because USG recently passed another bill calling for row markers and lights in Lot 6. No action has been taken on the earlier bill.

Jason Sobota, district representative, wrote the earlier bill calling for lights in Lot 6.

"I don't see any problem with the new bill," Sobota said. "We tried to get in touch with people to take action on the other bill, and we were continually turned down. Hopefully this one will have better luck."

Greg Amend, at-large representative, agreed that the new bill was necessary.

"Anyone who has tried to find their car in Lot 6 knows how time-consuming it can be," Amend said. "This is something that's beneficial to students. There was no action taken on the earlier bill, so we needed to make our wants and needs clear."

Bill Arnold, USG adviser, cautioned the members about duplicating previous legislation.

"Part of your responsibility is to pass these bills, and the other part is to follow through," Arnold said. "Following through can ensure that we don't run into a situation like this where we have dual legislation."

After passing the bill calling for row markers, USG read two new amendments to its bylaws.

One amendment enumerates the duties of the summer student government, while the other specifies penalties that can be given to candidates who violate election rules.

Kate Newnam, at-large representative, helped draft the bylaw

● See USG, page 6.

## Educator teaches rape prevention, self-defense

TERESA BECK  
STAFF WRITER

Rape affects men and women equally whether it happens to them or someone they know, according to Ruth Sallee-Gersham, who speaks across the country on rape education and self-defense.

"We cannot educate half of the population (women) and plan on getting anywhere," Sallee-Gersham said. "All people need to have a definition of rape that we can work

with."

Sallee-Gersham invited both men and women to her rape education workshop last night held in 108 Olscamp. Only six women attended, however. After the discussion, Sallee-Gersham taught self-defense to the women.

According to Sallee-Gersham, rape is not sex but an issue of power and control.

"It does not happen only to pretty girls who are flaunting themselves, it has happened to a woman as old as

92 and as young as a two-month-old baby," Sallee-Gersham said.

"I think that's incredibly scary," Amanda Gargiulo, Women's Action Coalition member said.

"What makes it more scary is that it happens by someone you know," Sallee-Gersham said.

According to Sallee-Gersham, over 90 percent of rapes go unreported.

"Women don't want to tell, they are afraid, embarrassed and angry," Sallee-Gersham said. "They just

"Women don't want to tell, they are afraid, embarrassed and angry."

Ruth Sallee-Gersham

Speaker on rape education and self-defense

want it to go away."

What we see in the media makes it OK for men to be aggressive according to Sallee-Gersham. Women have been taught to be coy. According to Sallee-Gersham, that

language needs to be redesigned so everyone is on the same page.

"We have to help each other understand no means no," Sallee-

● See SPEAKER, page 6.

## Knowledge of sexual assault may lessen danger

NICOLE VALEK  
STAFF WRITER

Every 21 minutes, someone in this country between the ages of 15 and 24 years old is assaulted by an acquaintance.

Rape is one of the most serious sexual offenses. It is sexual conduct by force or threat of force.

"Rape and sexual assault do not discriminate. They can affect anyone and it is important that people are aware of this," said Jenn Wickerham, of Coalition Against Sexual Offenses. "Sexual assault can't be prevented but there are things that can be done to help reduce the risk."

Rape can be viewed from many different perspectives.

Sociologically, it can be seen as a symptom of a disturbed society. Psychologically, rape is the expression of extreme sexual aggression. Historically, rape has been used by invading armies as a tool for the conquest and subjugation of nations.

Rape has also been used, and is still used, as a means of controlling

victims and their behavior.

It victimizes women and men, whether they are straight, gay, lesbian or bisexual.

There are two types of rape: acquaintance rape and stranger rape. More than half of all reported rapes are called "acquaintance" rapes because the attacker is someone the victim knows, such as a date or boyfriend.

However, the same criminal laws and penalties apply in cases of acquaintance rape as in stranger rape.

Some ways to help reduce your risk:

- \* Communicate. Prior to having any sexual encounter with an acquaintance, talk about the limits you want to establish.
- \* Stay Sober. The majority of acquaintance rapes take place after alcohol has been consumed.
- \* Trust Your Instincts. If a situation feels like it is moving too quickly or you are feeling uncomfortable, get out of there!
- \* Be Cautious. Feeling insecure or not knowing the person may be a

good indicator to stay in public venues when first getting to know them. Double date or make arrangements to arrive and depart from events with friends.

According to the SHARE (Self-Help Assault Reduction Education) Program, this is what you should do if you are assaulted:

- \* Go to a safe place.
- \* Call the police immediately.
- \* Preserve all physical evidence. Do not shower. Save the clothing you were wearing at the time of the assault. Do not disturb anything in the area where the assault occurred.
- \* Go to a hospital emergency room for medical care.
- \* Seek professional counseling, information and legal assistance from a rape treatment center to help you deal with the consequences of an assault.

"The most important thing for a rape victim to keep in mind is to get help as soon as possible and that it is not their fault," said Barbara Hoffman, University Health Center clinician.

## RAPE REDUCE YOUR RISKS

- COMMUNICATE
- STAY SOBER
- TRUST YOUR INSTINCTS
- BE CAUTIOUS



■ The Comerica Park opens today when the Tigers hosts Seattle.



# WORLD

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## The World In Brief

### Lion attacks 6-year-old

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil (AP) — A caged circus lion snatched a 6-year-old boy from his father's arm, dragged him through the bars and killed him, police in northeastern Brazil said yesterday.

Jose dos Santos Fonseca and his son Jose apparently got too close to the lions' cage during the Sunday night show of the Vostok Circus, Pernambuco State police said.

"He dragged my son away, and when I looked my son was in his mouth," a weeping Fonseca said in a televised interview.

### Human genetic code not broken yet

VANCOUVER, Canada (AP) — The chief scientist of an international organization trying to map the human genetic code has disputed a private company's claim to have already reached that target.

Dr. Francis Collins of the publicly funded Human Genome Project claims Celera Genomics, which last week announced it had finished the decoding phase of one person's genetic code, did not complete even half of its planned effort.

"There were a couple of unfortunate quotes that implied that they had sequenced the whole human genome but that's just not true," Collins said of Celera's claim.

"What we all need to recognize is that for the sequencing of the human genome, there is not going to be a finish line for any group, for at least the next couple of years, he said."

### Bolivians riot against economic problems

LA PAZ, Bolivia (AP) — Five people were killed and dozens injured in confrontations across Bolivia as thousands of people protested against rising water rates, unemployment and other economic problems.

In Achacachi, 80 miles north of the capital La Paz, farmers blocked roads and threw rocks at soldiers who responded with rubber bullets and tear gas.

## Koreans work toward diplomacy; June summit 1st in decades

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

SEOUL, South Korea — South Korea and North Korea said yesterday that their leaders will hold a summit in June, marking the biggest diplomatic breakthrough in half a century of conflict.

The meeting between South Korean President Kim Dae-jung and his northern counterpart, Kim Jong Il, would be the first between leaders of the two states since the Korean peninsula was divided into the communist North and the U.S.-backed South in 1945.

The stumbling blocks are many. The agenda has yet to be decided and the two sides are far apart on a number of weighty issues, including the permanent deployment of 37,000 U.S. soldiers in South Korea to guard against any threat from the North.

But Japan quickly praised the planned meeting as having potentially "epoch-making significance."

"Our government welcomes this summit and totally supports it," said Japan's foreign minister, Yohei Kono. "We strongly expect this meeting will lead to further progress in a dialogue between the South and the North, and to easing tensions on the Korean Peninsula."

China, which has long been North Korea's main ally in the region, said it supports the summit. Zhu Bangzao, spokesman for China's Foreign Ministry, was quoted by the official Xinhua news agency as saying he hopes the meeting can achieve positive results.

In simultaneous announcements, Seoul and Pyongyang agreed on the June 12-14 summit in the North Korean capital

Pyongyang to promote exchanges, reconciliation and peaceful unification. The two countries fought a 1950-53 war and never signed a permanent peace treaty.

"The agreement is an opportunity for bringing development and prosperity to the nation and ensuring hope for peace on the Korean peninsula," Park June-young, South Korea's chief presidential spokesman, quoted his president as saying.

Park said Kim was surprised that impoverished North Korea, which has long denigrated the South as a U.S. puppet and had shunned appeals for top-level talks, agreed quickly to his proposal for a summit.

The agreement followed a series of secret contacts in China as well as upbeat statements by top South Korean officials.

"Both sides decided to have a preliminary contact to discuss procedural matters" later this month to prepare for the summit, said the Korean Central News Agency, North Korea's foreign news outlet.

The announcement could boost the lagging fortunes of South Korea's ruling Millennium Democratic Party ahead of parliamentary elections on Thursday. The party has lost popularity due to a series of scandals, and Kim has been under domestic pressure to show results from his U.S.-supported effort of promoting economic, cultural and other contacts with the isolated North.

He has pursued his so-called "sunshine" policy despite periodic crises with Pyongyang, including a 1999 naval clash in the Yellow Sea and the North's test-firing of a rocket over Japan in 1998. Critics have also complained that Pyongyang has diverted South Korean food aid to its military.



Associated Press Photo  
**PEACE**—Members of the media photograph South Korea's Unification Minister Park Jae-kyu, right, during a news conference.

In recent months, North Korea has lowered its decades-old self-imposed isolation, establishing diplomatic relations with Italy in January, and discussing improving ties with the United States, Britain, Japan, Australia and other countries.

Kim Yong Nam, speaker of North Korea's parliament and ceremonial head of state, and Foreign Minister Paek Nam Sun were in Cuba yesterday at a summit of the Group of 77, an association of 133 nonaligned countries.

Pyongyang's diplomatic overtures could be a desperate bid for economic aid as much as a desire for reconciliation.

North Korea badly needs help from foreign governments for hard cash and humanitarian aid. But if it opens its doors to foreigners, the regime risks eroding its own authority.

In the late 1990s, deadly famine brought on by drought, floods and economic mismanagement forced the totalitarian state to appeal for food donations from international donors, including the United States. Aid workers said the situation remains precarious.

## Larger animal issues focus of International conference on endangered species

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NAIROBI, Kenya — Southern African countries were pushing for the right to sell stockpiled ivory at a conference that begun yesterday to discuss trade in endangered animals and plants.

Tirngeni Erkana, head of Namibia's delegation, said their proposal for an annual quota to sell stockpiled ivory is justified because it comes from natural mortality and legal slaughter to thin the herds rather than from elephants killed by poachers.

The southwestern African nation has a stockpile of 35-36 tons, and wants to sell two tons per year, he said.

"In my country, we have kept the level of poaching to a minimum," he said. "On average we lose two or three elephants a year. It is a question of monitoring the system."

"I do not understand why, after we have taken effective management of our elephants, we should be punished," Erkana said.

South Africa, Botswana and Zimbabwe have also submitted ivory sales proposals to the conference of

the United Nations Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species.

Elephants, whales and other large animals will probably steal the limelight from smaller animals and plants during the 10-day conference, said Willem Wijnstekers, CITES secretary general.

"Our discussions on elephants, whales and sea turtles, I am sure, at times are going to be difficult and heated, sometimes even emotional," Wijnstekers said. "This does not do sufficient justice to the many other important proposals we will have to

decide upon in the coming weeks."

Some 2,000 delegates from 151 countries and scores of non-governmental organizations dealing in conservation and environmental issues are at the conference.

At least 60 proposals on different species will be discussed, including whether to forbid all trade in the Asian urial, a wild sheep; the coelacanth, a unique living fossil fish; the hwamei, a songbird; and the Chinese happy tree.

Debate on a proposal by Kenya and India to ban all commerce in elephants is expected to dominate

the conference. CITES lifted a ban on limited trade in some elephant products such as leather in 1997.

Indian delegation head Suresh Sharma said although India and Kenya both want to protect their elephants, India's problem is particularly serious because of the 100-to-1 female to male ratio in the Indian herd. Only Asian male elephants have tusks. In African elephants, both females and males have tusks.

Both nations said allowing trade in any type of elephant product increases poaching.

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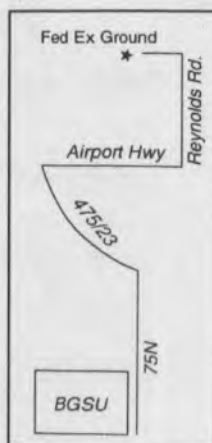
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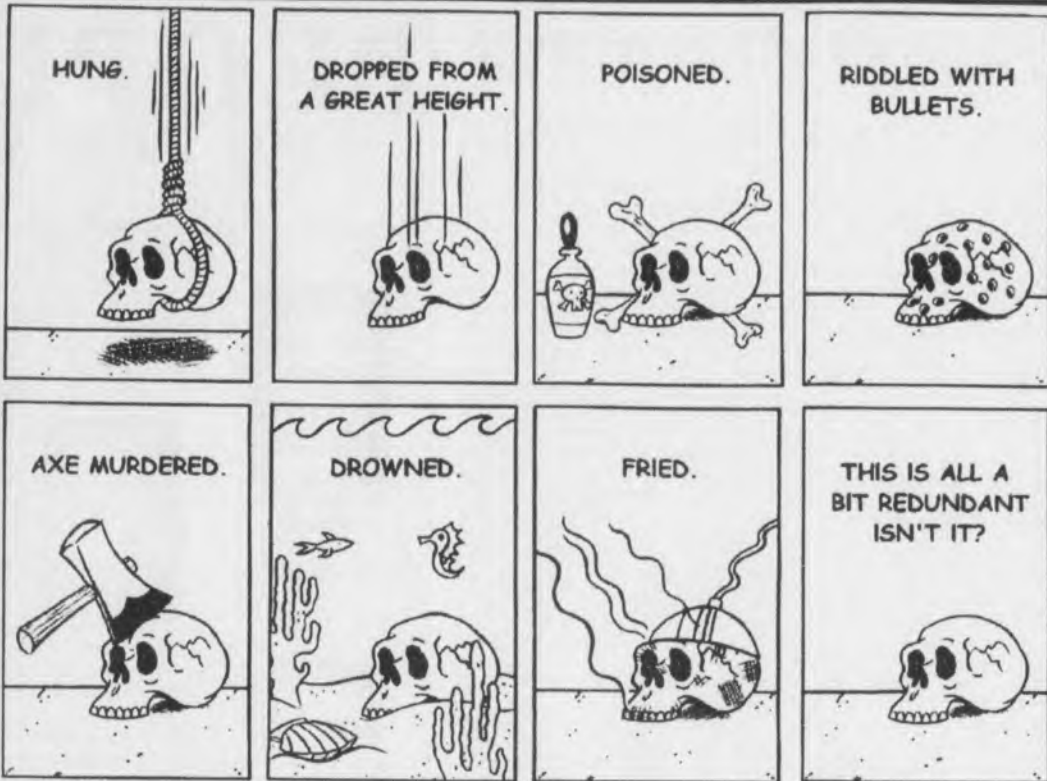


# PAGE 3

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## THE ADVENTURES OF SKULY BY WILLIAM MORTON ©MCMXCIX

## THE DEATH OF SKULY



## Letter to the Editor

Dear BG News writers and readers—  
I have never been published. I want this letter in the paper so I can cut it out and put it on my wall. There it'll be above the dresser, looking all official, with my name at the bottom. I'll point to it and say "there is something else I've done."

What a great feeling—accomplishment. The feeling of a job well done. It's something I've been missing lately, and too often forget about. Right now, I need to start the upward trend toward general on-pointness... being on time, making my calls, getting sh\*t done.

Today was a good beginning. I got to class in the morning, worked in the afternoon, went to a meeting at night, and wrote this letter in the down time. Amid all the haste, I managed to run into a few friendly faces, the way we all always do in college. It's good seeing people you haven't seen in a while, nostalgia helps a person remember where they come from.

Moving from personal healing to more exciting issues. I went to the Korn show in Detroit last Monday night and it totally rocked. Staind opened for them and achieved equal rockage.

Speaking of shows, [today] I'll be working the Bush/Moby show at Anderson Arena all day, from 6:30 a.m. until at least midnight, depending on how fast we help load up equipment on their busses. The work is worth it, the show will be awesome. The entire thing—the bands, the interactive village, 4,500 of us students all packed into Anderson—will be sweet. Everyone should appreciate this event for what it is: a big time concert that will get asses off couches and onto campus to have

a good time. BGSU needs more of that community feeling. I walk down the street here and I'm hurting my face trying to look harder-core than the next guy. Let's see some smiles out there.

So that's all I have to say right now. Thank you for reading my first published work. I'd like to add that with something like three weeks of school left, let's everyone set aside these next few weekends for par-taying like rock stars. And not like some sissy rock stars, some good ones.

David Sedlak  
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**Editor's Note:**  
As such letters usually appear overleaf, Opinion Editor David Tran and I consulted about this letter. We agreed that it was a fun and honest work, belonging on the Page of Fun, Page 3.

**Editor's Serious Note:**  
Never was there a more poignant, insightful and truthful statement of the student condition at BGSU. It is a call to arms. Heed the call.

**Editor's Other Note:**  
Peace, Love and Slim Jims.

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Sites that make Page 3 laugh

OK, so this isn't a humor site. But once you witness the glory contained within these pages, you'll forgive us.

DarkHorizons.com is a news and rumors site for the film industry. Those of you film geeks out there will love many of the contents:

- The latest "X-Men" trailer
- Rumors on possible movies (i.e., "Resident Evil" and "Metal Gear Solid")
- A comprehensive film index, describing all possible 2000 film releases
- Reviews and box office numbers, and weekly U.S./U.K. releases
- A teaser for the "Lord of the Rings" trilogy. Pardon my salivating.

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BY RICH MOYER



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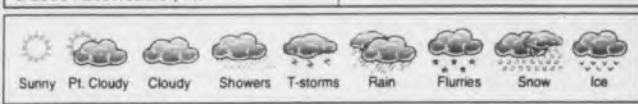
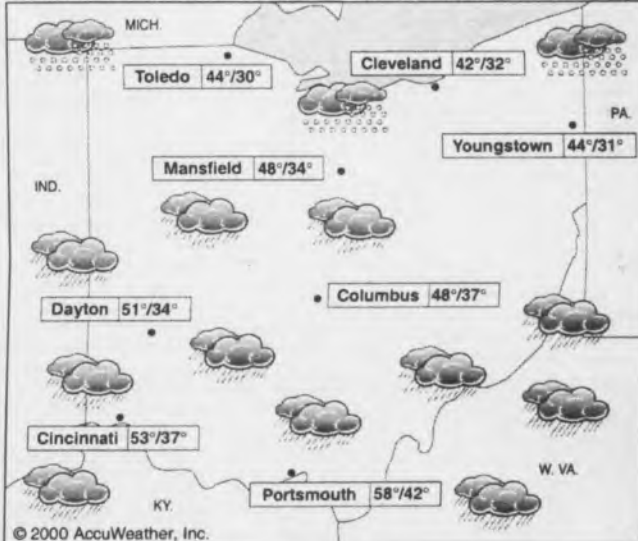
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## Ohio weather

Tuesday, April 11

AccuWeather® forecast for daytime conditions, high/low temperatures



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High: 52°  
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DISC	Your New House (R)	Wild Discovery: Why Dogs Smile: Emotionally Speaking (R)	On the Inside: "Skip Tracers" (R)	Fighting the Mob: Story of Carmen Basilio	Strongest Man	Up Close Special	Baseball Tonight	Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter
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## Student apathy: It's a matter of control

Ah, once again it's spring, the time of year when the leaves return, people play in the sunshine (when it's not snowing) and students turn their minds away from school.

Of course, they cannot completely turn their minds away from school; most of their professors, realizing that their classes are going nowhere, have thus assigned half of the total work for the last three weeks. As much as possible, however, students avoid schoolwork, and when they are absolutely forced to do some, they describe it as more horrid than being mauled by a herd of elephants.

"Only three more bloody-tusked elephants — I mean, pages — to go," a friend told me while I was playing Starcraft in lieu of studying. "Then I'll be free. Hopefully, I'll have enough remaining muscle tissue to drag myself to a bar."

In response to their students' outrageous apathy, many teachers seem to be throwing up their hands in despair. One of mine literally did this; then she sighed and buried her face in her hands. The rest, of course, just mope around in a depressed stupor. Intermittently, they say, in their best Eeyore-voices, "You know folks, the semester's winding down and... oh, well. Sigh."

I understand their frustration. After all, the students in their classes have paid to be there, right? Why wouldn't they strive to do as well as possible?

There are several possible reasons. The first and most obvious is that students are unbelievably lazy. This reason is true and applies to nearly everyone I know. It is not the



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most important reason, however. More important is the fact that students feel that they exert little or no control over their grades.

Consider papers. Most instructors that I've had assign written assignments of some type, and nearly all do it in the same way: "Write a paper about X." Certain conscientious instructors add a clarification: "You will be required to demonstrate knowledge of X."

While the wording may differ, nearly all instructors assign papers in this way, with little or no detail beyond the topic of the assignment. That would not be a problem if all instructors then graded papers in the same way. Unfortunately, they don't. Even within the same discipline, instructors' grading practices vary wildly, to the point that many students think their grades are based on little more than the teacher's whim.

Worse yet are the assignments that appear to have more specific directions, but are graded in totally unsuspected ways. Last year, I had a class where the instructor persistently berated the students about style

and transitions in written assignments. When he assigned the final essay, we expected that he would look for and reward attention to style. After we finished the essays, however, he told us that they were graded by the bare number of instances where we used a certain method. As a result, a finely-crafted 10-page paper would get an average grade, while a 15-page salad of paragraphs would get As and acclaim. He had given us no reason to expect this.

That incident is not unique. In many other classes of mine, instructors go over tests that have been taken and describe the questions they really wanted students to answer, which are generally distinct from the ones printed on the test itself. Students in this situation feel like an old lady being told by a haughty scam artist what he really did with her credit card number.

It's a shame that American students are trained to be lazy. They aren't lazy by nature. When put in a setting that reliably punishes and rewards them, as is the case in certain jobs, they tend to work so hard that they damage their health. After years of formal schooling, however, most students are conditioned into realizing that their grades are more connected to the teacher's opinion of them than to the quality of their work. I came to this realization in eighth grade and have been making the least of my education ever since.

A common objection to such grade-based apathy is that students should learn for the purpose of learning, not for getting a good grade. Those who raise this objection are deluded. Students will

always learn what they want to learn without the motivation of a grade. But for Latin, or classical philosophy, or any of the other obscure or difficult topics that are taught daily at a University, grade motivation is necessary. Without it, the argument for learning is simply "learn this because I say you should." And that's useful only if the student can be motivated by the teacher's opinion of him or her — that is, by the teacher's whim.

Using whims as motivation is a hopeless task. It makes learning a personal matter, where A means "good person," D means "bad person," and the type of person that a university ought to nurture is essentially disenfranchised. Many instructors seem to use whims, rather than comprehensible standards, in order to be nice, to avoid being a "hardass." Then they wonder why few strive to succeed in their classes, forgetting that high standards may be difficult to enforce, but invisible standards are impossible.

Considering the way students react to them, though, I can hardly blame professors and teaching assistants for degenerating into parodies of themselves, moping and occasionally lashing out at student apathy. And I can hardly blame the students for caring even less about school when instructors' whims go sour.

Really, I'm not in the mood to blame anybody. I just want to go out and enjoy this great weather.

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## PEOPLE on the street

Question: What's the greatest personal challenge you've ever faced?



Bryan Geha  
Freshman  
Business  
"Nothing at all!"



Brian Seig  
Freshman  
Aviation  
"Grab my Bush and streak across the campus."



Greg Niehaus  
Freshman  
Marketing and advertising  
"Something really stupid and crazy. For example, I would wear a whipped-cream bathing suit."



Matt Burns  
Freshman  
Undecided  
"Nothing."



Laura Rahe  
Freshman  
English  
"I'd kiss a moose."

## Letters to the Editor

### More on race, Bush and Moby

I am responding to a letter written by Aisha Price that was responding to a letter by a Steve Krall ("Minorities not racist," April 7). While I do not know what was written in Krall's initial letter, I take issue with the material in the final paragraph of Ms. Price's letter. In it, she said that "minorities can never be racist."

Merriam Webster's defines racism as "a belief that race is the primary determinant of human traits and capacities and that racial differences produce an inherent superiority of a particular race." This means that if somebody categorizes people by race and believes that one group is better than the other, that person is engaging in racist behavior. If somebody says something derogatory like "All \_\_\_\_\_ people (in whatever situation) will do \_\_\_\_\_," he or she is engaging in racist behavior. Simply using phrases like "thirty to 40-year-old white male" can be considered racist; I refuse to believe that, in the context, Ms. Price did not intend to use those words in a condescending manner against Mr. Krall.

While it is true that minorities will likely always be oppressed in one way or another, and to whatever degree, we cannot justify sending the least amount of racism back into the faces of the majorities, whether it be in word or deed. We (meaning everybody, not just minorities) should at least be above racial prejudices (and name-calling) in our writing.

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In The BG News, I read a response to an opinion letter ("Letter ignorant of Popovich's intentions," April 7). I really debated getting into this little squabble, but my conscience pulled me into it this morning. The first point that I would like to address is this manipulative and charged comment:

"There is a need to obtain equity when taking into consideration the history and present day struggles that our country faces. You do believe in equity, Mr. Krall, don't you?"

It appears to me that Mr. Jason Brewer has missed the point that Mr. Krall was trying to make, and instead of addressing the point of minority students' chance to enjoy a concert and expand their horizons, he went for a knee-jerk statement that casts a shadow, nigh unto McCarthyism, in that Mr. Krall is worse than a communist sympathizer, and that he's not "multi-culturally diverse," and should therefore be flogged.

I believe that being multi-culturally diverse is exactly that; experiencing more than one culture, being open to and actually experiencing new things, and not dismissing someone for what he or she might think.

I think that BG has a vast field of opportunities for students to try and experience new things. I've been to art shows, theater, films, lectures, men's and women's sporting events and all of these activities have allowed me to be diverse.

Next Mr. Brewer went to the mat, as it were, for Marcos with the following accusation:

"Thirdly, you were very quick to judge Marcos' character, having never met him or without knowing what he has done on this campus and in our community."

While this probably is the case, Mr. Brewer is hanging his claims and himself with the same rope that he accuses Mr. Krall of. Mr. Krall was trying to say, I believe, give UAO a break. I say the same. I am not praising the manner in which tickets were sold, nor am I presenting their laurels over the "They Might Be Giants" concert debacle of last year, but, and mind you this is merely my opinion, I think that it's a step in the right direction, and that all of campus can participate in this show if they so chose to on an individual basis.

I do not think that our campus could book an act that would satisfy the entire population — ever! I do believe that if a student or group were to look in the "Buzz" section of The BG News, that he, she and they would find to his, her and their satisfaction a variety of cross-ethnicity, cross-gender and cross-economic events that would fill a social calendar to overflowing.

In the close of this letter, I hope that neither the camps of the anti-Bush/Moby or the pro-Bush/Moby seek my head to affix to a spike. I'm sure that Mr. Brewer and Popovich are fine and loyal Americans, and that even Mr. Krall is too.

I hope that everyone that has sounded off on the issue, no matter what his or her background is can see that too. I hope that any and all readers look at me as a human, with human opinions and ideas, and if you, as a reader, don't necessarily agree with what I have to say, to at least congratulate yourself on coming to that decision and being "diverse" enough to see that not everyone looks at the world the same, and that that is not really a bad thing after all.

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### Resistance to gun regulation baffling

I would like to ask Tim Jenny how a militia armed with rifles and grenades would defend itself and overthrow the world's greatest military power armed with nuclear weapons, smart missiles and B-52s?

I just don't see the logic in arguing that guns allow the citizens of this country to defend themselves against a tyrannical government, when that tyrannical government is the world's military superpower (and is already an expert at suppressing movements for liberation in other countries).

This might have made sense 230 years ago when the government we

were fighting was an ocean away and armed with only the same weapons as the American rebels. But in today's circumstances, I'm sorry, there's no way in hell any American rebellion, no matter how well-armed by semi-automatic rifles and sub-machine guns, is going to hold out against the forces of the U.S. government.

While I can sympathize with your distrust of government and desire to prevent a "representative democracy that could be exploited by the ones in power," (we already have this situation in case you didn't notice) I strongly disagree that the only means of doing this is through violence and weapons.

Using violence to fight violence only justifies and escalates the oppressor's use of force, while using non-violent means is infinitely more potent than semi-automatic fire can ever be.

Finally, I am always baffled at the resistance to gun regulation. This is not a move to ban guns or to take away the precious Second Amendment. I see it as a small move towards protecting people's lives and guaranteeing their right to live without fear.

You proclaim passionately your right to own guns; I proclaim just as passionately my right to live free of fear from guns. Explain to me why it is wrong to put locks on handguns. How does this infringe on the Second Amendment? Will you deny children the freedom to be safe in their own schools? Will you deny people the right to be in a public space without fearing deathly violence?

Because if you deny the government's right to regulate guns, then you are in effect denying the rest of us the freedom to live without fear.

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### Recent articles biased

I have to express some concern about the recent string of front page articles The BG News has been running concerning the state of education on campus; in particular, with the most recent articles. I myself am

a graduate assistant in the Philosophy department, and though this is my first year at BGSU, it is my third year as a graduate assistant and eighth year in the discipline. I partly object to a lack of objectivity and research in these recent columns, but I also want to try and alleviate some fears and misconceptions about graduate assistants.

Concerning the most recent article ("Grad Students may not make the Grade," April 6), exactly what was done in the way of research? No quantitative data is given suggesting the number of grad students teaching classes (as opposed to those who merely lead discussions or labs). The tone of the article makes it sound as if one could throw a stone across campus and never hit a tenured professor who actually teaches.

Secondly, nothing is offered as evidence that graduate students are doing sub-par work in regards to teaching. No evaluations are offered either from students or from in-house department reviews of graduate students' progress, and aside from one quote from one student, there is nothing to suggest there is even a problem. The fact that many graduate students teach or assist in lower level classes isn't itself evidence that there is a problem.

There is a good deal of relevant information that should have been included that, as far as I can tell, was never even considered. Anyone aware that it is part of every graduate assistant's contract to undergo continual training and development? The University has set up such a program that every grad. assistant must participate in (GradStep). Additionally, individual departments set up in-house monitoring, peer and faculty review, and training programs for their grads. Department chairs and graduate coordinators, as well as peer reviewers, keep a close eye on grad assistants and are highly responsive to legitimate student complaints. Training and evaluation is a rigorous process that all grad assistants go through. This barely gets a mention in the article. Just a lack of space?

Why wasn't this included? Why were no graduate assistants interviewed? And just what is the con-

cern being addressed here? I have no doubt some students grumble about their teaching assistants, but how often are these complaints justified? There are channels a student can pursue if they are unsatisfied with their teachers, and if so pursued action will be taken. Crappy GAs won't be around too long.

But what exactly is the concern? That graduate students aren't educated enough to teach introductory classes? I doubt this; most graduate students are likely pursuing careers in professional academia and have spent a good deal of time doing research and analysis of texts. Familiarity with the subject matter isn't presupposed, but required or else they wouldn't be teaching. Is it that graduate students don't possess the teaching skills? But is this any less true of some faculty members? My concern is that there is a pre-conceived prejudice against graduate assistants; the going assumption is that they are incapable or inexperienced, and so on. Usually, when a student is doing poorly, the reaction is to find a source of blame. Graduate assistants are easy targets, as we are the lowest on the proverbial totem pole.

Other kinds of prejudice may exist too; the piece on foreign GAs smacked of racism and ethnic bias. I had a previous colleague who was Chinese-American who taught a class in logic with me. Though she was native born and her only accent was from New England, students openly complained about the "foreigner" they couldn't understand.

If this is the concern of the campus paper, at least do sufficient research to see if there is even a problem, and offer both sides of the story. Public expression of ridiculous views is too often regarded as legitimization.

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**Correction:** Yesterday The BG News incorrectly reported that 88.1 WFAL sponsored today's pre-concert party at Ziggy Zombas'. The correct sponsor is 88.1 WBGU.

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## Lots of work, little money anger janitors into striking

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LOS ANGELES — Hoisting brooms and mops, thousands of low-income workers are walking picket lines and gearing up for demonstrations across the country to demand higher wages, better job security and "justice for janitors."

The pressure started building last week when hundreds of janitors went on strike in Los Angeles, leaving the companies that clean 70 percent of the county's commercial office space scrambling to find replacements. And the janitors' union said that was just the beginning.

On Sunday, a small group of janitors staged a noisy demonstration in San Diego, shouting "Mucho trabajo, poco dinero" — "Lots of work, little money."

This week, the campaign spreads to New York City, where doormen, porters and maintenance workers plan to march up Park Avenue to promote their demands for contract talks with owners of 3,000 residential buildings. Their strike deadline is April 20.

"It's been the combined disrespect at the workplace and the bargaining table that led us to do this," said Mary Grillo, executive director of Service Employees International Union Local 2028 in San Diego.

Over the next few months, maintenance workers, maids and other SEIU members plan demonstrations in Chicago, Cleveland, Seattle and other major cities where contracts expire this year.

In Chicago, 125 janitors planned to begin a hunger strike yesterday to protest their lack of health benefits. The contract for janitors in Chicago suburbs expired Sunday; the contract for janitors in the city will expire on Saturday.

The timing is no coincidence. The SEIU set out five years ago to negotiate contracts around the country that would expire within months of each other to combine the clout of more than 100,000 workers.

That kind of thinking, combined with some of the most aggressive bargaining and recruiting tactics in organized labor, has made the 1.3 million-member union one of the fastest-growing and powerful in the country.

In 1985, the then-struggling union started a program called "Justice for Janitors" under the leadership of John Sweeney, who later became president of the AFL-CIO. Organizing efforts were aimed at the fringes of the work force. It spent more money than most unions on organizing, absorbed independent unions and staged demonstrations to draw public attention and rally union loyalists.

"Their organizing tends to be among marginalized workers," said Gary Chaison, a professor of industrial relations at Clark University in Worcester, Mass. "They also tend to emphasize justice, dignity and respect. Instead of saying, 'We're going to get you tremendous wage increases,' they said, 'We're going to get you bargaining agreements that will give you your fair share of economic prosperity.'"

That message has attracted thousands of workers. In the cities where it has locals, the union said it represents up to 90 percent of all service workers. In Washington, D.C., union membership went from 40 percent to 77 percent over the past five years. Over an 18-month period in 1988, the union targeted the Denver suburbs and went from no presence to representing more than 75 percent of the area's service workers, according to union figures.

Workers in Washington blocked the Roosevelt Bridge over the Potomac River in 1996 to call for higher wages for custodial workers. In Los Angeles, the union became a major force in 1990, when its attempt to organize janitors in the Century City district turned into a bloody confrontation with police. About two dozen demonstrators were injured and 40 were arrested. Soon after, the union won the right to represent workers. June 15 is now celebrated as "Justice for Janitors Day."

The city has about 8,500 janitors who work for 18 cleaning contractors handling most of the commercial properties in Los Angeles. The union wants \$1-an-hour raises for the next three years — the average hourly wage is now \$6.90. Contractors offered a one-year wage freeze, then 40-cent-an-hour raises for two years.



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**JANITORS STRIKE**—Dominicano Osorio joins fellow striking janitors in chanting "Si se puede" (Yes, you can), Friday during a protest march. The 8,500 union janitors are pressing for a \$1-an-hour raise each year for the next three years. They now make between \$6.80 and \$7.80 an hour. The city's biggest employer of janitors, American Building Maintenance, sought an injunction that would prevent strikers from blocking the entrance to office buildings.

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## USG

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amendments after talking with Ed Whipple, vice president of student affairs.

"Dr. Whipple asked us to elaborate on the duties of the summer student government, so we made a longer list than we had previously," Newnam said.

Some of the items on the list of duties of the summer student government include maintaining communication with USG members, keeping the USG office open and

## LSU

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missed the opening can view them.

Wrapping up the week is a fashion show Friday. This event will be held in the Harshman Community Center 7 p.m. to midnight. The event will feature students and faculty members modeling party and formal wear. One of the highlights of the fashion show is the traditional wear.

Nikki Nieves, planning committee member, said traditional wear includes quincenera, which is a for-

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Gersham said. "This is stuff we have to know about and encourage those around us to be educated. As a college student, you will never have an opportunity to absorb this kind of information in a protected environment such as a university."

Students will have an opportunity, though, to participate in the "Take Back the Night March" held Thursday which will start at the Clocktower Quadrant and continue throughout the Bowling Green com-

well-organized and representing the student body during orientation and registration.

Sobota was also one of the drafters of the new bylaw amendments. He said the amendment enumerating sanctions for election rule violations will help ensure consistency in the penalty system.

"We wanted to have more of a set penalty system, instead of leaving penalties entirely up to the Elections and Opinions Board," Sobota said.

The bylaw amendments will be discussed next week.

mal dress young women wear in celebration of their 15th birthday; guayabera, traditional men shirts with four pockets; and six different "Zoot suits."

In addition to the fashion show, students will display their artistic ability and LSU will host a dance.

Celestino-Boes encourages students to participate in at least one, if not all the events.

"It is a way to get acquainted with the culture," she said. "We are showing the culture in a fun way."

munity.

"The march will symbolize that women can march through the streets without the protection of men," Gargiulo said.

Sallee-Gersham will be speaking at the march in addition to a performance by members of the Africana Dance Troupe and a call and response singing led by Gospel Choir director Nathan McDonald.

"The more diverse the information you hear, the fuller your understanding is about the world around you," Sallee-Gersham said.

## Protests against WTO predicted in Washington D.C.

(U-WIRE)

WASHINGTON -- George Washington University announced Friday it will close this weekend and yesterday because of anticipated protests of World Bank and International Monetary Fund meetings.

GW administrators met with Metropolitan Police Chief Charles H. Ramsey last week to prepare for the protests. Late Friday, a memo released to the GW community announced the closing.

"As a direct result of discussions with (MPD) who have assessed ... the impact of the World Bank/IMF meetings on traffic in the area, the University has made the decision to close from Friday, April 14, at 10p.m. until Tuesday, April 18, at 8 a.m.," according to the memo.

Access to residence halls and the Marvin Center will be restricted to GW students and staff. Beginning Monday, "the overnight guest policy for non-GW students will be suspended." Students must have a GW card to be signed into a residence hall.

One of the objectives of the closure is to minimize traffic around Foggy Bottom, where the meetings will take place, University officials said. The IMF and World Bank offices are located on 18th and 19th streets near several University buildings.

MPD spokesman Sgt. Joe Gentile said MPD is still in the planning stages for the expected protests. All officers will be on duty, and officers will be assigned to the expected demonstrations, he said, although he would not disclose the number of officers that will be assigned to the

demonstrations. Civil Disturbance Units were activated Sunday and will continue to patrol through the end of the meetings.

"Students should expect large inconveniences because of large crowds on the streets," Gentile said.

He said a permit to protest has not been approved as of Thursday, and MPD continues to meet with the demonstrators.

"(The protesters) have advised us they intend to have a peaceful demonstration," he said.

Gentile said streets will be closed around the IMF and the World Bank, through Thursday. He could not say which streets are expected to close. A preliminary list of street closures and blockades will be released Monday, he said. The preliminary list is expected to expand, he said.

"Our actions will be very much dependent on the group," Gentile said.

At a Tuesday, April 4 press conference, IMF Acting Managing Director Stanley Fischer said the meeting planners are taking planned protests seriously.

He said authorities are ensuring that the meetings can go on without disruption, but he said activities will not be "absolutely normal."

"The material that is being discussed at these meetings is very important for the operation of the world economy, for the people who live in the world economy," Fischer said. "And you don't really expect that whatever contingency plans we might or might not have would be made public at this stage."

Protesters already have begun to arrive and protest in certain areas of Washington, D.C. The World Bank and IMF meetings will begin tomorrow morning.



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**PROTEST** — A self-proclaimed anarchist holds up a sign to protest police brutality during a public meeting in Seattle. During the WTO demonstrations last fall, police gassed and pepper sprayed thousands of protesters. A similar demonstration against the organization is being planned for this week in Washington D.C.

row morning.

According to MPD's Web site, businesses in the vicinity of the meetings should prepare for street closures and other potential disruptions.

"Construction sites should be secured, including all equipment and supplies," according to the Web site. MPD also advises businesses to develop a plan in case buildings and windows need to be secured.

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**FIRST IMPRESSION** — Detroit first baseman Tony Clark awaits his turn for batting practice in Comerica Park yesterday. The Tigers got their first look at their new home in preparation for today's home opener against the Seattle Mariners.

## Comerica Park opener has Tigers optimistic

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

DETROIT — Comerica Park, a spacious new ballpark in the heart of downtown Detroit, has all the amenities, from statues of Cobb and Kaline to liquid fireworks and a carousel.

Alas, it also has the Tigers.

After opening the season with a win, the Tigers lost five straight and will have the worst record in baseball when they open their new stadium against the Seattle Mariners tonight.

"Don't be misled by what this team did the first week," said manager Phil Garner, who expressed his displeasure after an 11-6 loss in Baltimore on Sunday. "This team will win a lot of games."

Win or lose, it's a safe bet fans will enjoy visits to the 40,000-seat stadium built at a cost of \$300 million, about \$200 million of it from team owner Mike Ilitch, founder of the Little Caesar's pizza empire.

The scoreboard in left field is 202 feet wide, including a video screen 42 feet by 24 feet. A smaller board at field level in right-center will carry out-of-town scores. A board over the bullpen in right gives the speed of pitches thrown to each batter.

"It's kind of like Christmas," right-hander Brian Moehler said. "You can't wait to get to the tree in the morning."

"The thing that caught my eye first was the monuments. Everything seems to be first class, really nice."

A fountain in the center field wall

produces a programmable "liquid fireworks" display. It is capable of spraying water up to 150 feet in the air from more than 900 nozzles.

The carousel, in a food court, features 30 hand-painted tigers and two chariots. A 50-foot, 18-ton Ferris wheel has 12 baseball-shaped cars.

"But, you know what?" outfielder Bobby Higginson said Monday after the team's first workout. "It's going to be a fantastic place to play baseball."

The workout was held on an ideal April day, with sunny skies, a gentle breeze and temperatures in the high 50s. But the weather isn't likely to be anywhere near so nice for opening day.

Today's forecast called for snow, turning to drizzle with temperatures in the high 30s. Still, it appeared every effort would be made to play the game.

"There is almost no chance this game won't be played," Tigers spokesman Tyler Barnes said.

Moehler, who started the last game at venerable Tiger Stadium, will start the first game in Comerica. He said the weather wouldn't concern him.

"I've heard it might snow, but it probably won't stick," said Moehler, who will oppose Seattle right-hander Freddy Garcia. "It'll be like rain, I guess."

"Besides, I like pitching in cool weather. I've never pitched here

when it was 60 in April."

Moehler can afford to be glib. Comerica is nothing if not a pitcher's paradise. The power alley in left-center is 395 feet from home plate. It's 385 in right-center and 420 to get over the wall in dead center.

"Standing behind the plate, it looks almost like Yellowstone," reliever Doug Brocail said. "It looks like no man's land out there."

Still, there were plenty of balls hit over the walls during the Tigers' first batting practice.

The first was off the bat of outfielder Karim Garcia. On his third swing, Garcia hit one out in right-center. Juan Gonzalez, who has played sparingly because of a sore hamstring, was the first to knock one over the left-field wall.

"This may be the biggest stadium in baseball, but whether it plays that way remains to be seen," Garner said. "If the wind blows out, there may be a lot of home runs flying out."

This will mark the first time in 100 years that baseball in Detroit hasn't been played at the corner of Michigan and Trumbull. In an effort to remember the team's roots, the flagpole at Comerica has been placed in left-center and will be in play, as it was at Tiger Stadium.

More than 16,000 season tickets have been sold, well up from 10,000 for the final season at Tiger Stadium.

## Griffey's 400th bomb not enough for Reds

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

DENVER — Ken Griffey Jr. became the youngest player to hit 400 career homers, but the Colorado Rockies beat the Cincinnati Reds 7-5 in their home opener yesterday behind two-run homers from Mike Lansing and Todd Helton.

The new-look Rockies, with just 10 players remaining on the roster from last year's opener, got six strong innings from Rolando Arroyo (1-0), who became the first Rockies starter to win this season.

Griffey tied the game 1-1 in the fourth with an opposite-field homer off Arroyo. It was Griffey's second homer of the season and second in as many days.

At 30 years, 141 days, Griffey beat the previous mark, set by Jimmie Foxx, who was 30 years, 248 days old. Griffey is fifth on the career list among active players, trailing Mark McGwire (525), Barry Bonds (447), Jose Canseco (431) and Cal Ripken Jr. (403).

Griffey's historic homer came on the 50th birthday of his father, Ken Griffey Sr. It was the fourth time he has homered on his father's birthday.

Arroyo left after deflecting a double-play grounder with his pitching hand, a play that ended the sixth. X-rays were negative, leaving him with a bruise on the middle finger of his right hand. He allowed two runs and six hits.

Colorado returned to Coors Field following a shakeup that saw new GM Dan O'Dowd overhaul the Blake Street Bombers, who hit home runs but failed to make the postseason since 1995.

Yesterday's game was the first at Coors Field for new manager Buddy Bell.

Colorado says it needs pitching to win, but the offense against the Reds didn't show any signs of letting up.

Second-inning doubles by Jeff Cirillo and Darren Bragg put the Rockies ahead 1-0 off Steve Parris (0-2).

Colorado chased Parris with a four-run fifth. Arroyo led off with a single and scored on Tom Goodwin's triple to right-center. Lansing followed with his third homer of the season, Larry Walker singled, Cirillo walked and Bragg hit an RBI single off Hector Mercado.

Stan Belinda got the final out for his first save.

In the sixth, Cincinnati loaded the bases with no outs on singles by Alex Ochoa, Chris Stynes and Barry Larkin, with Griffey next to bat. Griffey hit a sacrifice fly, but Arroyo induced ex-Rockie Dante Bichette to hit into a double play.

Colorado loaded the bases with one out in its half in an inning that was interrupted for 13 minutes by a power outage. After the delay, Walker hit into a double play.

Cirillo hit his second double and scored on Helton's second homer of the season in the seventh off Scott Sullivan.

The Reds cut the lead to 7-5 in the ninth on David Cromer's first major league home run, a three-run shot off of David Lee.

**Notes:** The Rockies, who have led the majors in attendance in each of their seven seasons, drew 48,094. It was a club record for opening day at Coors Field, and the 50,427 total tickets distributed set a regular-season record. ... Reds 2B Pokey Reese, hit by a pitch on the left elbow, left in the fifth inning with a bruise. ... The Reds signed LHP Norm Charlton to a minor league contract. Charlton, who pitched for the club from 1988-92, will report tomorrow to Triple-A Louisville. ... Ochoa pulled his right hamstring in the ninth inning. After hitting a dribbler, he injured himself running to first.



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**OPEN HOUSE** — Statues honor Tigers' history at Comerica Park.

Soccer

## A league of their own

### Women's pro soccer on the way

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — Parlaying deep-pocketed investors, a strong television presence and the popularity of the World Cup champions, a women's professional soccer league plans to begin play next spring.

The Women's United Soccer Association said yesterday it approved teams for eight cities: Atlanta, Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Orlando-Tampa, San Diego, San Francisco and Washington.

Listed as alternates were: Chicago, Columbus, Detroit, Los Angeles, Miami, Portland, Raleigh-Durham and St. Louis. Any of those cities might be selected if one of the original eight drops out. Also under consideration are Milwaukee, Denver and Houston.

The league begins in April 2001 and has letters of intent to play from all 20 members of the 1999 U.S. world championship team.

"We want the focus entirely on the women's game," said Julie Foudy, co-captain of the 1999 U.S. team. "We all know how difficult it is to get a league off the ground."

"With all the resources these companies have and all the promotion you can have, we feel you need that directed focus and energy that is solely behind the women's game. We are totally committed to playing for just the WUSA and hoping that is the league that gets sanctioned."

WUSA envisions stadiums with capacities of 6,500 to 10,000 for an 80-game schedule, far smaller than Major League Soccer sites. It might not find those venues immediately, and could temporarily emulate the MLS, which has many teams playing in NFL stadiums.

"We need to get one season

behind us so we know our exact venue needs," said John Hendricks, chairman and CEO of Discovery Communications and WUSA's board chairman.

The keys to success are signing the best players and hooking up with television. TV coverage would be on TNT and CNN, mostly on week-end afternoons.

The U.S. Soccer Federation set a May 1 deadline to submit business plans. The WUSA, with a four-year TV contract with Turner Broadcasting and such heavy corporate backers as Time-Warner, Comcast and Cox Communications, already has met that deadline.

"The official U.S. Soccer standards require each team with a minimum salary level of \$400,000," Hendricks said. "From the investor side, to get the absolute top players involved, we needed to double that budget."

"The soccer federation has a standard for guaranteed funding for a minimum of three years. We wanted to go longer and we have lined up funding for a full six years: a development year as well as five years of league play."

Each of the initial eight markets required a \$5 million investment.

MLS also has expressed interest in forming a women's league and spoke with Hendricks as far back as December about combining efforts.

"We believe we can achieve far more working together than alone," MLS commissioner Don Garber said. "A combined effort would help us position ourselves vs. the other sports as opposed to cannibalizing on the support of either leagues. Collectively, we would ensure the women's viability, which is important to us."

## Pro Bowl Packer arrested, accused of rape

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

HARTLAND, Wis. — NFL star Mark Chmura was arrested yesterday after his 17-year-old baby-sitter accused him of sexually assaulting her in a bathroom during a party at which they played a drinking game together.



Associated Press Photo

**JAILED** — Green Bay Packers tight end Mark Chmura has yet to be formally charged with the rape of his baby-sitter.

Robert Gessert, a friend of the Green Bay Packers tight end, also was arrested. An 18-year-old woman accused him of sexually assaulting her in a hot tub at Gessert's home at the party after a prom, according to court records.

Chmura appeared in court in an orange jumpsuit with his hands bound in chains. Chmura and Gessert were released on \$5,000 bail and are due in court May 15.

Chmura, 31, and Gessert, 42, have not been formally charged. Waukesha County District Attorney Paul Bucher said.

"We'll continue reviewing the case. We'll need to gather more information," Bucher said.

Police are recommending a charge of third-degree sexual assault, a felony punishable by up to 10 years in prison and a \$10,000 fine.

A search warrant filed in Waukesha County Circuit Court said the 17-year-old girl told police Chmura led her into a bathroom at Gessert's house early Sunday, locked the door, removed her jeans and underwear and had sexual intercourse with her. The girl knew Chmura because she had baby-sat his children, the warrant said.

The 18-year-old girl accused Gessert of indecently touching her while in the hot tub.

Police Chief Morton Hetzner said 15 to 20 people were at

Gessert's home, many of them juveniles. The 17-year-old girl told police they were playing a drinking game and Gessert gave her a drink with vodka. She told police she became drunk, the warrant said.

She said Chmura was wearing white boxer shorts and a dark towel. Four pairs of underwear were confiscated when authorities searched Chmura's home yesterday, including white boxers, the warrant said.

Investigators also recovered six towels when they searched Gessert's home, the warrant said, including a dark-colored towel. Authorities also confiscated vacuum cleaner filters containing hair and other debris from the bathroom floor. Chmura also gave hair and blood samples to authorities, the warrant said.

Chmura was arrested and handcuffed early yesterday at his home, where his wife was present, Hetzner said. Later in the day, Chmura friend John Drana answered the door at the player's home and said Chmura would have no comment.

Chmura, the married father of two children, joined the Packers in 1992 out of Boston College. He built a home in this stylish community less than an hour's drive from Milwaukee about a year ago.

An avid supporter of family charities and conservative politics, Chmura refused to meet with President Clinton after the Packers' 1997 Super Bowl victory and made dis-

paraging comments about the president's moral character.

Chmura's lawyer, Gerald Boyle, said his client is cooperating with the investigation. "We will wait and see what the facts show," he said.

Third-degree sexual assault involves sexual intercourse with someone without their consent, according to Wisconsin law. First- and second-degree sexual assault include having sexual intercourse with someone without their consent and using or threatening to use force.

The 17-year-old girl and her mother contacted police Sunday. The teen was examined at a hospital, Hetzner said.

Packers spokesman Lee Rummel issued a statement Monday from Green Bay.

"As an organization, we are disappointed that Mark Chmura is involved in the type of situation that has been reported," the statement said.

The team will monitor the case and had no further comment, the statement said.

Chmura missed most of last season because of a neck injury in the second game. He was at last month's minicamp, returning from what some feared was a career-ending injury. Chmura is entering his ninth NFL season.

● See CHMURA, page 9.



## SPORTS

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## Track and Field

## Falcons soar to new record in Texas relays

DEREK McCORD  
SPORTS WRITER

A 28-year-old record with gold medal proportions fell this weekend at the 73rd Clyde Littlefield Texas Relays.

The Bowling Green men's sprint medley relay team of Rah'Sheen Clay, Ricco Oglesby, Zerian Peterson and Pat Miller ran a time of 3:21.06 to defeat the record in the event by .74 seconds.

The record was held by Olympic gold medalist Dave Wottle, Rex Miller, Ted Farver and Ed Watkins. Men's track coach Sterling Martin said that breaking the record is a reward for Clay and Miller and also inspiration for Peterson and Oglesby.

"Rah'Sheen and Miller have contributed to this program a lot over the years. Rah'Sheen has a couple and Miller I think has one, but it is great for someone that has given as much to the program as those to have to walk away with a school record. I think that they have a chance to break that record again," Martin said.

"With the season Zerian and Ricco are having it is really inspirational for them to realize that they have run faster than any other four-some has run at Bowling Green. It is a great and well deserved honor."

The meet was held at the University of Texas in Austin. The team members competing in the event spent Wednesday night in a hotel in Detroit. The next morning they boarded a plane that took them to Chicago and then to Austin for the meet.

The meet was canceled last year due to a \$26 million renovation being made to the facility that included a track resurfacing.

With the plane arriving in Austin at 12:10 p.m., thrower Lori Williams had to get to the track stadium before 2 when the hammer throw event was scheduled to start. After the rush to the stadium, Williams was able to set a personal record with her first throw, and then with a throw of 172'08" she finished fifth in the event.

With this being Williams' first shot at the event, women's head coach Scott Sehmman thinks that if she develops another rotation in her

throw, she could have a shot at the MAC title. The men's 4X800m relay team of Pete Lisi, Ed Stonestreet, Kreg Hatfield and Pat Miller found themselves pressed hard for time also after only having two hours to prepare for their event after getting off the plane on Thursday.

Some controversy was stirred when freshman Keith Battle was bumped on the front stretch by another runner. That caused him to fall back a few places, but a foul was not called by the event officials. He finished a disappointing 11th place with a time of 7:51.19 after running an impressive time of 7:37 two weeks earlier.

Men's coach Sterling Martin said that it was his fault for not giving the team time to settle in and have enough time to prepare for their events.

Friday's portion of the meet saw senior Andrea Cook finish third in the pole vault by clearing the height of 11'07 3/4".

"After having to almost plead for Andrea to get into the meet she made a personal best," Sehmman said. "Maybe if we would have started off a little cleaner then we might

have made 12 feet. It is certainly nice to beat two great competitors from Akron and a bunch of other kids from the SEC and Big XII schools."

Teammate Williams proved that she is probably one of the best women throwers in the MAC by finishing as the top collegiate in the discus event with a distance of 166'10".

Friday proved to be one of the best days ever for Bowling Green in the field events as senior John Hustler finished fifth in the javelin by throwing 205'01 despite pulling a quadriceps muscle in the warm ups.

Sehmman said that the performances of the team during the weekend is a real testament to how the program is shaping up.

"To be able to go down there and do what they did says a lot for the kids ability to be able to handle the pressure of the meet and for the work they put forth to advance the program."

The Toledo quadrangular meet that was scheduled for today has been cancelled due to weather and will be run next Tuesday.

## Indianapolis 500

## CART champion preps for Indy

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAPOLIS — Juan Montoya is a quick learner.

Already the youngest CART series champion, the 24-year-old Colombian has set his sights on the Indianapolis 500. And his career has been so impressive that the Indy Racing League waived its required rookie tests at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

Montoya showed up anyway. "My first impression is there's a lot of history here and a lot of excitement, but so far it is very simple," he said yesterday between sessions of the annual Rookie Orientation Program. "It didn't seem as complex as it seemed from the outside, so it's pretty good."

Montoya and teammate Jimmy Vasser, an Indy veteran, are driving for Chip Ganassi Racing, a CART team that is returning to the 500 for the first time since Speedway president Tony George founded the rival IRL four years ago. Walker Racing, which is fielding a car for 19-year-old rookie Sarah Fisher, is another CART team that plans to run the IRL series this season.

"Indy always was a place you wanted to get to someday in your career," Montoya said. "When CART split with IRL I thought I was never going to come here. Now that I'm coming, I think it's going to be really exciting."

"The biggest difference is just power. CART cars have a lot more power than these cars," he said of the Oldsmobile Aurora engines used in the G Force cars entered by Ganassi. "Chassis-wise, they're pretty similar. The handling is pretty similar. You just have to make a nice car to drive and you'll be fine. ... I went four laps and was up to speed, fourth-quickest in four laps, so that's pretty good."

After just a few laps yesterday morning, Montoya was up to more than 217 mph, just about 1 mph

slower than former winner Eddie Cheever's top lap around the 2 1/2-mile oval. Cheever's younger brother, Ross, was among a dozen or so other rookies at the track and completed the mandatory four-phase driving test.

"He's told me many little things that I can't put into words, and he's told me many things I can't repeat," Ross Cheever said of his brother, the 1998 Indy winner. "There's an infinite amount of little pieces that are needed to make a winning package, and Eddie has an endless amount of situations that he's been through that I haven't with the oval racing."

"I raced for 12 years (in Japan) but it's a totally different formula, and even though it is a steering wheel with pedals, it's a whole other learning curve for me," the younger Cheever said. "Eddie and the whole team have made it something that's allowed me to learn at my own pace."

Montoya also had some advice from an Indy veteran — Vasser — although his seven victories, seven poles and 10 top-four finishes in winning the CART title last year proved he didn't need much help.

"Mainly Jimmy gave me some tips and advice, and everything seemed to work out pretty well. ... I expected to have a decent year, but I never expected to go out and win the championship in my first attempt," he said.

No Indy rookie — not even former Formula One champion Nigel Mansell, the only other driver to win the CART title in his first season in the series — has won at Indianapolis since Graham Hill in 1966.

Other rookies who completed the driving test included Sam Hornish Jr., Ayrton Dare and Memo Gidley.

Vasser was the fastest Indy rookie qualifier in 1992, finished fourth in 1994 and crashed while leading

● See INDY, page 9.

## Carter, McGrady dismantle Cavaliers

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TORONTO — Vince Carter's first career triple-double helped the Toronto Raptors inch closer to their first playoff berth with a 112-103 victory over the Cleveland Cavaliers yesterday night.

Carter went 13-of-19 from the field and scored 31 points, had 11 rebounds and added a career-high 10 assists.

Toronto (43-34) moved within one win or one Milwaukee loss of clinching a postseason spot. The Bucks hosted Orlando yesterday.

Tracy McGrady had 27 points, a

career-high nine assists and six blocks as the Raptors ended a four-game home losing streak by beating Cleveland for the fifth straight time.

Antonio Davis had 14 points and four blocks, while Charles Oakley added 10 rebounds.

Shawn Kemp had 22 points for Cleveland, Bob Sura had 19, and Lamond Murray 16.

Carter gave the Raptors, guaranteed their first winning season since joining the league five seasons ago, a 21-18 lead on a 3-pointer 7:25 into the game.

A minute later, Davis' shot bounced off the rim and Carter came

out of nowhere to slam the rebound home. With the quarter winding down, Carter dunked over Andrew DeClercq to make it 30-24 and 40 seconds later he set up McGrady for a slam.

Carter completed another high-light-reel move two minutes into the second quarter when he hit a one-handed alley-oop off a Muggsy Bogues inbound pass. The two hooked up for a similar play in the third quarter to make it a 69-50 game.

McGrady, meanwhile, did a bit of everything at both ends, swatting away balls, causing turnovers and

driving to the basket. He went to the free-throw line 13 times, making 11.

The Cavs, down by as many as 24 points in the third quarter, made a small charge in the fourth on a pair of Kemp dunks that closed the gap to 98-93 with 4:28 left, but the Raptors responded with six straight points.

Notes: Doug Christie, not in uniform the previous two games with a sore right ankle and pulled groin, dressed but did not play. ... After getting fouled on a drive to the basket, McGrady tossed the ball at Mark Bryant, earning a technical.



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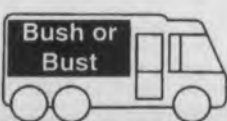
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## Standings

INDIANAPOLIS — Entries for the May 28 Indianapolis 500, listing driver, entrant, car numbers and chassis-engine combination (w-former winner, r-rookie):

- 1-2, Scott Goodyear, Panther Racing, No. 4, 4T, Dallara-Aurora.  
3-4, Jeret Schroeder, Tri Star Motorsports, No. 6, 6T, Dallara-Aurora.  
5-6, Jack Miller, Tri Star Motorsports, No. 21, 21T, Dallara-Aurora.  
7-8, Stephan Gregoire, Dick Simon Racing, No. 7, 7T, G Force-Aurora.  
9-10, r-Juan Montoya, Ganassi Racing, No. 10, 10T, G Force-Aurora.  
11-12, Jimmy Vasser, Ganassi Racing, No. 15, 15T, G Force-Aurora.  
13-14, w-Al Unser Jr., Galles Racing, No. 3, 3T, G Force-Aurora.  
15-16, Tyce Carlson, Hubbard-Immke Racing, No. 20, 20T, Dallara-Aurora.  
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17-18, Robbie Buhl, Dreyer & Reinhold Racing, No. 24, 24T, G Force-TBA.  
19-20, Eliseo Salazar, A.J. Foyt Racing, No. 11, 11T, G Force-Aurora.  
21-22, Jeff Ward, A.J. Foyt Racing, No. 14, 14T, G Force-Aurora.  
23-24, No drivers listed, Foyt/Brack Motorsports, No. 41, 41T, G Force-Aurora.  
Aurora  
25-26, Buzz Calkins, Bradley Motorsport, No. 12, 12T, Dallara-Aurora.  
27-28, Greg Ray, Team Menard, No. 1, 1T, Dallara-Aurora.  
29, No driver listed, Team Menard, No. 32, Dallara-Aurora.  
30-31, Scott Sharp, Kelley Racing, No. 8, 8T, Dallara-Aurora.  
32-33, Mark Dismore, Kelley Racing, No. 28, 28T, Dallara-Aurora.  
34-35, Jimmy Kite, Blueprint Racing, No. 27, 27T, G Force-Aurora.  
36-37, r-Andy Hillenburg, Fast Track Racing, No. 48, 48T, Dallara-Aurora.  
TBA  
38-39, r-Guy Smith, March Racing, No. 44, 44T, Dallara-Aurora.  
40-41, Wim Eyckmans, Dick Simon Racing, No. 77, 77T, G Force-Aurora.  
42-43, Robby McGehee, Treadway Racing, No. 5, 5T, G Force-Aurora.  
44-45, No drivers listed, Treadway Racing, No. 55, 55T, G Force-Aurora.  
46-47, Donnie Beechler, Cahill Auto Racing, No. 98, 98T, Dallara-Aurora.  
48-49, w-Buddy Lazier, Hemelgarn Racing, No. 91, 91T, Riley&Scott-Aurora.  
50-51, No drivers listed, Hemelgarn Racing, No. 92, 92T, TBA-Aurora.  
52-53, r-Dan Drinan, Hemelgarn Racing, No. 93, 93T, Dallara-Aurora.  
54-55, Billy Boat, Team Pelfrey, No. 81, 81T, Dallara-Aurora.  
SUMMARY  
Drivers (24)  
Former winners (2) — Al Unser Jr., 1992, 1994; Buddy Lazier, 1996.  
Rookies (4) — Juan Montoya, Andy Hillenburg, Guy Smith, Dan Drinan.  
Foreign born (7) — Scott Goodyear, Canada; Stephan Gregoire, France; Juan Montoya, Colombia; Eliseo Salazar, Chile; Jeff Ward, Scotland; Guy Smith, England; Wim Eyckmans, Belgium.  
Youngest — Jimmy Kite, 24 (Born Feb. 18, 1976). Oldest — Eliseo Salazar, 44 (Born Nov. 14, 1955).

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Central Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	4	2	.667	—
Kansas City	5	3	.625	—
Chicago	4	3	.571	1/2
Minnesota	3	5	.375	2
Detroit	1	5	.167	3
West Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	4	2	.667	—
Texas	4	3	.571	1/2
Anaheim	3	3	.500	1
Oakland	3	3	.500	1

## Transactions

### BASEBALL

#### National League

CINCINNATI REDS—Agreed to terms with LHP Norm Charlton on a minor league contract and was assigned to Louisville of the International League.

### BASKETBALL

PORTLAND TRAIL BLAZERS—Activated C Arvydas Sabonis from the injured list. Placed C Antonio Harvey on the injured list.

### FOOTBALL

JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS—Re-signed TE Damon Jones.

NEW YORK GIANTS—Signed CB Dave Thomas. Re-signed C-G Derek Engler.

### SOCCER

COLORADO RAPIDS—Acquired S Junior Agogo from Chicago for a third-round 2001 draft pick. Waived F Jeff DiMaria.

### COLLEGE

SOUTHWEST TEXAS—Named Dennis Nutt men's basketball coach.

## From the Wire

### Indians say home season is sold out, again

CLEVELAND — The Cleveland Indians last night declared the 2000 season at Jacobs Field sold out, a few days before the team's home season opener Friday against Texas.

The Indians have sold out 373 straight home games, the longest such streak in the majors. The season attendance last year was 3,468,456, a franchise record.

Season tickets are capped at about 25,000. The Indians placed 800,000 individual game tickets on sale Dec. 3 and ran that sale until Dec. 24. A secondary sale began Feb. 26 for tickets not sold in December plus about 175,000 tickets for auxiliary bleachers and standing room.

Jeff Overton, Indians vice president of marketing and communications, said the team is thankful to its fans for selling out the season prior to the home opener for a fifth straight season.

The Cleveland streak dates back to June 12, 1995. Jacobs Field opened in 1994. Its capacity is 43,368.

### Hornets 107, Wizards 105

WASHINGTON — Elden Campbell's 18-foot turnaround jumper over Juwan Howard as time expired capped a wild finish and lifted the Charlotte Hornets over the Washington Wizards 107-105 yesterday night.

Eddie Jones scored 26 points and David Wesley had 21 for the Hornets.

The game was tied at 103 when Richard Hamilton missed a pair of free throws with 59.6 seconds left. Charlotte missed two shots on the ensuing possession, but gained two clock resets before Anthony Mason hit a 10-footer with 2.8 seconds left for a 105-103 lead.

Mason finished with 19 points, nine rebounds and nine assists.

Charlotte's Derrick Coleman, who had 16 points and 16 rebounds, fouled Washington's Mitch Richmond on the ensuing in-bounds play and Richmond hit both free throws, tying the game at 105 and setting up Campbell's game-winning shot.

## CHMURA

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"I'm actually glad I'm here," he said at the Packers' first minicamp under coach Mike Sherman. "I appreciate things more. It's been a long year, a long wait. It was good to get out there."

Last week, Packers reserve running back De'Mond Parker was charged in Richton Park, Ill., with possession of marijuana. He was arrested April 2 after 7 grams of marijuana were found in an automobile in which he was seated, police said.

In February, wide receiver Antonio Freeman was sentenced to a year of probation for obstructing police in a Green Bay traffic accident. Former wide receiver Charles Jordan was fined \$5,000 for lying about the accident.

## Hens fall to Durham

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

TOLEDO, Ohio — Randy Winn's inside the park homer in the fifth inning helped power Durham to a 4-1 win over Toledo yesterday and give the Bulls their third straight win over the Mud Hens.

Winn also had an RBI single in the third inning.

The Mud Hens jumped out to an early 1-0 lead with a two-out RBI double in the first inning by Javier Cardona, who was last year's minor league player of the year in the

Detroit farm system. He led the Southern League in homers and slugging percentage.

After Durham had regained the lead, the Bulls scored a single run in the eighth on a homer by Felix Martinez, his first of the season. In the ninth, Aubrey Huff hit a homer for Durham, also his first.

Tony Fiore (1-0) got the win for Durham. He pitched five innings, gave up five hits and one run. He walked two and struck out three.

Jeff Weaver (1-0) took the loss for Toledo.

## INDY

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the race 30 laps from the finish in 1995. Like most CART drivers, he hasn't raced at Indy since then.

"I've been doing things on other Sundays for four years now, and it'll be nice (to be back)," Vasser said. "You can't win the Indy 500 if

you're not in the field, and it'll be nice to hopefully have a shot at it. ... Our primary goal is to win the CART championship, and now our second-biggest goal is to win this race. It is the biggest race going. There's no doubt about that."

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Sublesser needed for summer, avail. May 7th-Aug. 15th; \$500. 354-6819, ask for Charlie or leave message.

Sublesser needed from May 13 thru Aug. 12. 1 bdrm. apt. unfurn. on 7th St. Please contact Teresa 354-0002.

Sublesser needed May-Aug. Own room, big enough for 2 people. 149 Marville. \$500 whole summer + util. Call 354-6736.

Sublesser wanted for summer, 1 yr. old, 4 bdrm. house. 1479 Scott Hamilton (off Mercer). Nick or Dave at 352-8415.

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400 Counselors/instructors needed! Coed summer camps in Pocono Mountains, PA. Lohikan, 800-488-4321 www.lohikan.com.

Advanced Auto Parts now hiring for full and part time positions. Parts experience preferred but not necessary. Apply in person at 1025 S. Main St.

Bar restaurant help needed. Must be at least 21. Call Tanglewood at 833-1725.  
Bartender with experience needed part-time at Easy Street Cafe. Apply in person 2-5.

Camp counselors & lifeguards needed for co-ed summer camp near Ann Arbor. Room, board & salary. 734-878-6628.

Camp Counselors  
For children with disabilities. Must have strong work ethic and interested in making a difference in the life of a child. Up to \$11.00 per hour, 35 hours per week, 6 sites in Summit County. Must enjoy outdoor activities. Call 800-CYO-CAMP for an application.

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## Help Wanted

Are you looking for a summer job? Camp counselors are needed at the YMCA-Suburban West Branch in Columbus. Includes great hours, weekends off and free membership if hired. For more information, call 614-276-8224.

Full time and part time positions available. Part time is mornings only. If interested please call Boss Roofing, 352-3057.

HEATHERDOWNS COUNTRY CLUB  
Toledo Area Golf Course has seasonal Golf Shop and Bagroom positions available between April 1st and October 31st. Immediate hiring for motivated females and males. Great wages, flexible schedules, exciting environment, will train.  
Contact Jason at (419) 385-0248 EOE.

If you can throw down in the kitchen, if you can hustle food & drinks, Jed's wants you. Accepting applications for summer & year-round. Part and full time. Waitstaff, minimum to start. Kitchen \$8-\$10/hr. to start. Apply within, M-F after 3:00pm. 872-1977.

Lawn care business seeking experienced pt. time & full time seasonal worker. 669-3338.

Like talking on the phone? Why not get paid for it? That's right, AZG Research is now hiring for telephone interviewers. NO SELLING INVOLVED. Starting pay \$6.00/hr. Call 352-8115 ext. 0 for more details or stop by for an application. 13330 Bishop Rd, right here in Bowling Green!

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Nazareth Hall  
Part time positions available for waitstaff & Bartenders for weddings & special events. Excellent opportunity for anyone looking to earn extra spending money. Great wages. Must be available on weekends. Please call 419-832-2900.

Painters Wanted  
Have you painted for a student painting company or other painting company? We are looking for dependable, hard-working & motivated people. We are a year round company looking for summer help. If you have your own transportation & some experience call 882-0564 for an application.

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Local Trucking Company Looking for Summer Drivers!  
Are you 21 or over and want to make big \$? We are looking for people who can drive our dump trucks for the summer! We will train! Some heavy equipment experience is necessary. Give us a call @ (419) 843-2813 or send resume to: HR Dept., Driver, 3810 Herr Rd., Sylvania, OH 43560.

If you want to work this summer and make \$\$\$, call or write us!  
PROGRESSIVE landscape/lawn maintenance company seeks dependable, responsible individuals, for full/part time. JB Lawn & Landscape, Inc., South Toledo 1-419-381-1892.

## Help Wanted

Kitchen help needed. Must be at least 18. Call Tanglewood at 833-1725.

Receptionist/Office Assistant  
Seasonal position, May 15-August 15 (option to continue in fall if possible). Responsible for answering 3 line phone, greeting guests and assisting with a variety of office duties. Detail oriented and organized. Computer skills including working knowledge of spreadsheets and databases a plus. Must be friendly, a team player, and comfortable interacting with people. Send resume or apply at the Catholic Club, 1601 Jefferson Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43624.  
Application deadline, April 21, 00.

Recreation Leaders  
Group leaders to facilitate group games. Initiative games course with climbing wall. Indoor and outdoor opportunities available. Part-time flexible hours. Training available. Send resume or apply at the Catholic Club, 1601 Jefferson Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43624.

Summer babysitter for 8 & 10 yr. olds in my BG home. Mon-Fri 8:30-5:30. Must have own transp. & love sports! Call 352-4286 after 6pm.

Summer Camp Staff  
Seasonal Positions  
Group leaders for day camp ages 3-14 years. Full time, seasonal, various shifts available. Must like kids, be a positive role model, energetic, friendly, and a team player. Wage plus bonus system. Some positions available working with special needs children and youth. Hiring now for summer. Hours available beginning May 15th. Send resume or apply at the Catholic Club, 1601 Jefferson Avenue, Toledo, Ohio 43624.

The Wood County Park District has an immediate opening for a Special Projects Coordinator. Qualifications include certification as a Playground Safety Inspector. Certification must be obtained within one year of the hire date. Must possess knowledge and experience in desktop publishing, word processing, html programming, general computer knowledge and experience in grant writing and research. An associate or bachelor degree is required. Send resume with references to Wood County Park District, 18729 Mercer Rd., Bowling Green OH 43402. Resume deadline is April 14, 2000.

We are looking for 1 or 2 select individuals to work evenings in our Perryburg office. If you are serious about making money, are willing to work in a fun, group environment and have a great phone voice we may need you! Call Mrs. Thompson between 10 am and 2 pm ONLY at 419-872-6265

We are looking for summer help. Painters, exp. & own transp. Power washers exp. & own transp. Cold callers going door to door. Call 882-0564.

## For Sale

2 laptops, Toshiba 486 DX, 120 MB, 12 RAM, 9.5" color screen, \$275. TI 386, 12 RAM, B & W screen, \$100. Call 353-2076, ask for Tim.

## For Sale

26" trek 850 mountain bike, 21 speed. 669-3384, leave message.  
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To sublet, large 2 bdrm. with lots of storage, AC, dishwasher, free spa privileges. 8th St. \$450 plus util. & dep. Leave message Jan 354-5400.

## Senior Farewells

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April 17, 2000  
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# THE CAMPUS BUZZ

## Latino awareness events to explore and 'jazz up' culture

Yesterday's "Growing Up Latino" program kicked-off the second annual Latino Awareness Week (LAW), a five-day event series which aims to explore the various Latino cultures in innovative ways.

Like last year, LAW offers many education-disguised-as-entertainment events. From a cultural version of Jeopardy! (Do you know the real reason why Cinco de Mayo is celebrated?) to a fashion and

variety show, LAW makes learning about another culture fun and fascinating.

The highlight of the event series is the nationally-recognized Latino Issues Conference which annually examines Latino contributions to politics, art and education.

Lunch at the conference costs \$5; the conference sessions and all other events are free. For more information on any of these events, contact LSU at (419) 372-2385.



**PSYCHED UP** LSU members Marcos Popovich (left), Jason Brewer and Cynthia Saldivar prepare for the second annual spring celebration of Latino culture and history. Latino awareness week will offer a blend of entertainment and education.

## Latino Awareness Week Schedule of Events

### TUESDAY, APRIL 11

#### Latino Jeopardy!

6 p.m., 112 Life Science

Learn and laugh with this cultural spin on this popular game.

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12-14

#### Latino Art Exhibit

McFall Center Gallery

View works of art by students, faculty and staff.

### THURSDAY, APRIL 13

#### Latino Issues Conference

8 a.m.-5 p.m., Offenhauer East

Explore Latino contributions to politics, education and art.

### FRIDAY, APRIL 14

#### Fashion Show

7 p.m.-Midnight

Harshman Community Suite

A showcase of artistic expressions followed by a dance.

Call the LSU at (419) 372-2385 for more information.

## Campus Invasion brings Interactive Village



Bush and Moby won't be the only stars invading BGSU today. The MTV Interactive Village — a free event open to all — will be held on the lawn behind Anderson Arena from 12 p.m.-5 p.m. The rec center has been set up as a rain site.

Many events and programs will be held at the Village. MTV Career Counseling, sponsored by Monster.com, will give students a chance to audition with a director to be an MTV VJ. Also, there will be computer monitors set up with access to Monster.com.

MTV House of Style,

sponsored by Neutrogena, will offer health, skin and beauty tips. Also, get your photo taken with a special sun damage camera and get expert advice by an on-site dermatologist who will analyze and advise on skin protection and damage. There will be a free raffle for MTV and Neutrogena products.

MTV Spankin New Music, sponsored by CIBA Vision, will feature self-contained music sampling stations, where videos are shown on monitors using the latest technology.

MTV Music Generator, sponsored by

Arid, will teach students how to use a variety of music-focused software which will allow them to create and mix music under the guidance of professional DJ.

Stop by MTV Choose or Lose, a tent dedicated to MTV's campaign to spread awareness among college-age students of the issues in the upcoming presidential campaign. Students will be able to register to vote. Presented jointly with local cable affiliate and Youth Vote Coalition.

For more information on other highlights, call (419) 372-2486.

## Seniors saluted by full week of programs

Once again, the time has come for Beyond BG. This year the event, themed the Millennium Masquerade, will be held on April 27, 2000 from 8-10 p.m., in Anderson Arena. Beyond BG is a grand celebration for all students, especially seniors. Graduating seniors will be recognized for all their hard work and

from WVKS 92.5 FM Toledo will emcee the evening. Courtney is part of the Breakfast Club on Kiss FM and is also a 1987 graduate of BGSU.

participated in this event. Voting will take place on the students' favorite samples of pizza and subs, and the winners will be announced at the end of the evening. The Outstanding Senior award will also be announced. This is the highest honor a senior can achieve at BGSU.

## MILLENNIUM MASQUERADE BEYOND BG • APRIL 27, 2000

dedication to Bowling Green State University at Beyond BG. Over 1000 students, faculty, staff, administrators and community members will be in attendance. Tricia Courtney

Throughout the evening, many events will be taking place. The "One Last Taste of BG" contest will be going on with local food vendors. In 1999, 10 area businesses par-

For more information, contact Erin Oyster, Beyond BG Chair at (419) 352-9114 or e\_oyster@yahoo.com or Paul Pawlaczyk, Beyond BG adviser at (419) 372-7702.



# THE CAMPUS BUZZ CALENDAR OF EVENTS

COMPILED AND EDITED BY TIM L. MARSHALL, EDITOR IN CHIEF

## TUESDAY

April 11

**TEACHER JOB FAIR**  
8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Perry Field House

**BFA EXHIBITIONS**  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Bryan and Wankelman  
Galleries, Fine Arts Center  
Culminating exhibits for BFA  
students. See web page for who  
exhibits when.

**MFA EXHIBITIONS**  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Bryan and Wankelman  
Galleries, Fine Arts Center  
Culminating exhibits for MFA  
students. See web page for who  
exhibits when.

**WOMEN IN FAITH COMMUNITIES**  
Noon  
The Women's Center, 107  
Hanna Hall  
Unitarian Universalism Anne  
Nalls, Lay leader (similar to an  
ordained minister) at the  
Maumee Valley Unitarian  
Universalist Church, completed  
her training as a commissioned  
lay leader, having retired from  
teaching english, drama, jour-  
nalism and modern dance in  
high school and college.

**TITLE IX AND INTERCOLLEGIATE  
ATHLETICS**  
2:30 p.m.-4 p.m.  
Jerome Library, Pallister  
Conference Room  
Title IX has helped focus atten-  
tion on meeting the needs of  
women interested in athletics.  
Dr. Sue Mota, Legal Studies,  
author of "Title IX and  
Intercollegiate Athletics - The  
First Circuit Holds Brown  
University Not in Compliance",  
served on the Intercollegiate  
Athletic Gender Equity  
Planning Team. For more info,  
call 2-8472.

**EDUCATION ABROAD  
PRE-DEPARTURE ORIENTATION**  
7 p.m.-9 p.m.  
1103 Offenhauer West  
Prepare for your education  
abroad experience with cross-  
cultural simulation exercises  
and discussions on culture shock  
and other topics. Call 2-0309 for  
more information.

**BUSH AND MOBY IN CONCERT**  
8 p.m.  
Anderson Arena, Memorial  
Hall  
Ticket sales start March 23 for  
BGSU students, Saddlemere  
Forum, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.; March 25  
for the public at Madhatter and  
Boogie Records. Part of the  
MTV Campus Invasion tour.

**TUBA/EUPHONIUM ENSEMBLE**  
8 p.m.  
Bryan Recital Hall, Moore  
Musical Arts Center  
This ensemble is directed by Jeff  
Graves. This concert is free and  
open to the public.

**STARFEST 2000**  
8 p.m.  
Planetarium  
Sky Stones, Stonehenge, the  
pyramids, and more. \$1 dona-  
tion suggested.

**BGSU COLLEGE REPUBLICANS  
MEETING**  
9 p.m.  
BA 116  
Come and check out "the BEST  
party on campus!" Our goal is  
to educate and motivate YOU--  
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## WEDNESDAY

April 12

**BFA EXHIBITIONS**  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Bryan and Wankelman  
Galleries, Fine Arts Center  
Culminating exhibits for BFA  
students. See web page for who  
exhibits when.

**MFA EXHIBITIONS**  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Bryan and Wankelman  
Galleries, Fine Arts Center  
Culminating exhibits for MFA  
students. See web page for who  
exhibits when.

**GREEK WEEK RAFFLE**  
11:15 a.m.-3:30 p.m.  
Education Steps

**Brown Bag Luncheon:  
WHAT HAPPENS MEDICALLY AFTER  
A SEXUAL ASSAULT?**  
Noon  
Women's Center, 107 Hanna  
Hall  
Prosecution of sexual assault  
cases depends highly on the cred-  
ibility of the victim. Many states  
are helping to enhance victim's  
credibility by collecting evidence  
using a rape kit. Find out from  
presenter, Barbara Hoffman,  
MSN, Nurse Practitioner at the  
Student Health Service, how  
rape kits are used and what  
processes a sexual assault victim  
encounters when obtaining the  
collection of evidence and med-  
ical/nursing care. In recognition  
of Rape Awareness Month!

**EDUCATION ABROAD  
PRE-DEPARTURE ORIENTATION**  
7-9 p.m.  
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and discussions on culture shock  
and other topics. Call 2-0309 for  
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**FACULTY ARTIST SERIES: JEFFREY  
MUMFORD, COMPOSER**  
8 p.m.  
Bryan Recital Hall, Moore  
Musical Arts Center  
Featuring compositions by  
Artist-in-Residence Jeffrey  
Mumford. This concert is free  
and open to the public.

**ROMEO AND JULIET**  
8 p.m.  
Eva Marie Saint Theatre  
Shakespeare's story of young  
lovers separated by their feuding  
families. University Theatre  
Production. For Tickets, call  
419-372-2719.

**CAMPUS FILM: SUPERSTAR**  
9:15 p.m.  
111 Olscamp  
Admission is free!

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## THURSDAY

April 13

**SIXTH ANNUAL LATINO ISSUES  
CONFERENCE**  
8 a.m.-4 p.m.  
First floor Offenhauer East  
Key note speaker is Dr. Augusto  
Boal of Brazil, a theatre director,  
dramatist, theorist, writer,  
teacher and founder of the  
"Theatre of the Oppressed."  
Also featured: Tato Laviera, poet,  
performer, director and writer  
from New York City. Schedule  
can be received by calling the  
Center for Multicultural and  
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2642. Free and open to the pub-  
lic.

**BFA EXHIBITIONS**  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Bryan and Wankelman  
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**HEALTH FAIR**  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Anderson Arena, Memorial  
Hall  
Interactive displays and  
exhibits, door prizes, freebies,  
inexpensive cholesterol screen-  
ings.

**GREEK WEEK RAFFLE**  
11:15 a.m.-3:30 p.m.  
Education Steps

**TAKE BACK THE NIGHT MARCH**  
7 p.m.  
Clocktower lawn  
This is a public statement to  
raise awareness about violence  
against women. The night will  
include guest speakers, speak-  
outs, a rally and a march! All are  
welcome.

**EARLY MUSIC ENSEMBLE**  
8 p.m.  
Bryan Recital Hall, Moore  
Musical Arts Center  
This ensemble is directed by  
Mary Natvig. The concert is free  
and open to the public.

**INTERNATIONAL FILM SERIES:  
SURNAME VIET GIVEN NAME**  
Nam  
8:15 p.m.  
Gish Film Theater  
Minh-ha has been a vitally influ-  
ential figure in international  
women's cinema. For the  
Vietnamese-born artist, this is a  
very personal documentary that  
looks at connections between  
imperialism and patriarchy in  
Vietnam.

**BEYOND BG T-SHIRT SALES**  
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April 14

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**CAMPUS FILM: TOY STORY 2**

8 p.m.  
111 Olscamp  
The UAO presents "Toy Story 2." Come for a chance to win a "Tarzan" video or a Toy Story 2 toy. Enjoy the movie along with cookies and drinks, which will be served at 7:30pm. Admission is FREE!

**SYMPHONIC BAND**

8 p.m.  
Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center  
Directed by Bruce Moss. The program will include "Symphonic Metamorphosis of Themes by Carl Maria von Weber" by Paul Hindemith; "Little Threepenny Music" by Kurt Weill; and "Vesuvius" by Frank Tichelli. This concert is free and open to the public.

**STARFEST 2000**

8 p.m.  
Planetarium  
Sky Stones, Stonehenge, the pyramids, and more. \$1 donation suggested.

**OPEN SKATING**

8-10 p.m.  
Ice Arena  
Sibs & Kids free admission with a paying BGSU student. Skate Rentals: 12 and under \$2.50, 13 and up \$3.

**ROMEO AND JULIET**

8 p.m.  
Eva Marie Saint Theatre  
Shakespeare's story of young lovers separated by their feuding families. University Theatre Production. For Tickets, call 419-372-2719.

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**PARENTS' ADVISORY COUNCIL**

10 a.m.  
104 Olscamp Hall  
Sibs and Kids Weekend

**OUTDOOR PROGRAM AND CARNIVAL**

11 a.m.-2 p.m.  
Grassy areas between Saddlemere Kreischer Sibs and Kids Weekend

**BETA 500**

11 a.m.  
Saddlemere Parking Lot  
On your mark, get set, ...GO!!! Come and watch or participate in the Biggest Spring Philanthropy. The proceeds go to aid the Ronald McDonald House.

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Education Steps

**NATURE'S NURSERY**

1:30-2:30 p.m.  
Saddlemere Forum  
Sibs and Kids Weekend

**PARENT'S INFORMATION**

1:30 p.m.  
203 Olscamp Hall  
Sibs and Kids Weekend  
Updates on the new student union and technology on campus.

**STARFEST 2000**

2 p.m.  
Planetarium  
Kid Saturdays, Bear Tales. \$1 donation suggested.

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**UNIVERSITY MEN'S CHORUS**

4 p.m.  
Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center  
This ensemble is under the direction of Richard Mathey. For information contact the Moore Center Box Office at (419) 372-8171 or 1-(800)-598-2224.

**COMEDIAN BUZZ SUTHERLAND**

7:30 p.m.  
McDonald Countryside  
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**CONCERT BAND AND UNIVERSITY BAND**

3 p.m.  
Kobacker Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center  
This ensemble is directed by Hubert Toney Jr. The concert is free and open to the public.

**OPEN SKATING**

3:30-5:30 p.m.  
Ice Arena  
Sibs & Kids free admission with a paying BGSU student. Skate Rentals: 12 and under \$2.50, 13 and up \$3.

**CAMPUS FILM: TOY STORY 2**

5:30 p.m.  
111 Olscamp  
The UAO presents "Toy Story 2." Come and enjoy this comedy and a chance to win a Disney Movie or a Toy Story toy. There will be free pizza and pop which will be served at 5pm. Admission is FREE!

**STARFEST 2000**

7:30 p.m.  
Planetarium  
New Worlds? Columbus and the great explorers. \$1 donation suggested.

**SALES AND MARKETING CLUB AUTO EXPO**

8 a.m.-5 p.m.  
Between Eppler and Education Bldg.  
Looking for an affordable ride? The SMC Auto Expo allows for local car dealerships in BG to come to campus and display what is available to you as a student. Prizes such as gift certificates, clothes, mountain bikes and much, much, more are raffled off for a dollar each!

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**GUEST ARTIST: CAROLYN TREYBIG, FLUTE**

8 p.m.  
Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center  
Assisting on the program will be pianist Carla McElhaney. The program will include "Sonatina for Flute and Piano" by Jaap Geradts; "Sonata for Flute and Piano, Op. 120" by Edwin York Brown; and "Medieval Suite" by Katherine Hoover. This concert is free and open to the public.

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[www.bgsu.edu](http://www.bgsu.edu)

Campus Fact Line  
(419) 372-2445

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Post your event to the University Web Page Calendar of Events by 5 p.m. every Thursday before publication and your entry may appear on this page.

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**Weekend • April 14-16, 2000**

### Friday, April 14

**Planetarium Show**  
Sky Stone: Stonehenge, the Pyramids,  
& More. \$1 donation

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8:00-10:00 p.m., Ice Arena  
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Skate Rentals: \$2 and under \$2.50, 13 and up \$3

**Eva Marie Saint Theater**  
"Romeo & Juliet"  
8:00 p.m., University Hall  
Adults \$8, kids and senior citizens \$6

**Symphonic Band**  
8:00 p.m., Koblacker Hall

**Movie**  
Toy Story 2  
1:11 Olscamp, 8:00 p.m.

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Department of Recreational Sports  
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University Activities Organization  
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### Saturday, April 15

**Parents' Advisory Council**  
Meeting 10:00 a.m., 104 Olscamp

**Outdoor Program**  
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
Grass area between Saddlemire & Kreisher  
buildings

**Carnival**  
11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Grass area between Saddlemire & Kreisher  
buildings

**Tennis**  
BGSU men vs. Western Michigan  
11:00 a.m.

**Beta 500**  
BG version of Daytona cart races featuring  
our Greek community  
12:00 - 4:00 p.m.  
Saddlemire Parking Lot

**Baseball**  
BGSU vs. Marshall  
1:00 p.m.

**Softball**  
BGSU vs. Akron  
1:00 p.m.

**Nature's Nursery**  
1:30 - 2:30 p.m., Saddlemire Forum

**Parents' Information Sessions**  
1:30 p.m., 203 Olscamp

**Planetarium Show**  
Bear Tales and other Grizzly stories  
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4:00 & 8:00 p.m., Koblacker Hall  
Adults \$2, kids and senior citizens \$5

**Movie**  
Toy Story 2  
1:11 Olscamp, 5:30 p.m.

**Comedian**  
Buzz Sutherland  
7:30 p.m., McDonald Country Side

### Sunday, April 16

**Tennis**  
Alumni Match  
11:00 a.m.

**Baseball**  
BGSU vs. Marshall  
1:00 p.m.

**Concert & University Band**  
3:00 p.m., Koblacker Hall

**Open Ice Skating**  
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**BGSU**

**PEOPLE UNITE!**  
**TAKE BACK THE NIGHT!**  
**THURSDAY, APRIL 13**  
**7 P.M.**  
**CLOCKTOWER MALL**

No more silence! Stop the violence! Women unite! Take Back the Night! Join us for the annual Take Back the March and say that violence against women will not be tolerated. Women no longer have to accept violence as an inevitable part of life nor do they have to depend on others for protection. March with us and help recognize that women can protect themselves and work together to instigate a change. With unity comes strength! Open mics for survivor speak outs, the BGSU Gospel Choir (directed by Nathan McDonald) and the Africana Dance Troupe will be part of this years program! Men will have a discussion on Rape Prevention with two representatives from the Counseling Center while the women march. Also, the keynote speaker will be Ruth Sallee-Gresham from Ohio State University. She has been involved in the work of Rape Education since 1983.

For more information, call the Women's Action Coalition office at (419) 372-2281.

**CHECK OUT THE**  
**LOUNGE: POETRY AND**  
**PERFORMANCE NIGHTS**  
**AT COSMOS**  
**DOWNTOWN**  
**THURSDAYS IN APRIL**  
**9 P.M.**

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